

VENABLE, BAETJER, HOW  
Including professional corporations

JC07 Rec'd PCT/PTO 12 APR 2001

OFFICES IN

WASHINGTON, D.C.  
MARYLAND  
VIRGINIA

1201 New York Avenue, N.W., Suite 1000  
Washington, D.C. 20005-3917  
(202) 962-4800, Fax (202) 962-8300  
www.venable.com

VENABLE  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW



April 12, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Box PCT - DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

FORM PTO-1390 (REV. 5-93)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 32406-167815
<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>				U.- APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>09/700,465</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/GB99/01556	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE May 17, 1999	PRIORITY DATES CLAIMED: May 15, 1998		
TITLE OF INVENTION - see attached pages -				
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US - see attached pages -				
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:  1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(l).				

- See attached pages for additional data -

RK/rgf  
DC2DCCS1\276916

VENABLE, BAETJER, HOWARD & CIVILETTI, LLP  
Including professional corporations

1201 New York Avenue, N.W., Suite 1000  
Washington, D.C. 20005-3917  
(202) 962-4800, Fax (202) 962-8300  
[www.venable.com](http://www.venable.com)

OFFICES IN

WASHINGTON, D.C.  
MARYLAND  
VIRGINIA



April 12, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attorney Docket: 32406-167815

Attention: PCT-DO/EO/US

Re: Patent Application of: Jeremy David Norman WILSON et al.  
U.S. Appln. No.: 09/700,465  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS 3D REPRESENTATION

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Notice of Missing Requirements dated December 12, 2000, thus extending the due date to April 12, 2001. Enclosed is the amount of \$445.00, the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a).

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

In response to the enclosed Missing Requirements Notice of December 12, 2000, submitted herewith are the following:

- Inventor Declaration/Power of Attorney.
- Copy of Notice of Missing Requirements dated December 12, 2000.
- Information Disclosure Statement and PTO form 1449
- Recordation Cover Sheet and Executed Assignment

Official fees:

Surcharge	65.00
Assignment Fee	40.00
Extension of Time (3 Months)	445.00

04/16/2001 LLANDERA 00000031 03700465

**Total fees enclosed: \$550.00**

04/16/2001  
04/16/2001

65.00 0P  
445.00 0P

Should no remittance be attached, or should any greater or lesser fee be required, please charge or credit our Account No. 22-0261 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert Kinberg  
Registration No. 26,924  
VENABLE  
P.O. Box 34385  
Washington, D.C. 20043-9998  
Telephone: (202) 962-4800  
Telefax: (202) 962-8300

RK/rgf  
Enclosures  
DC2DOCS1\276920



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Box PCT  
Washington, D.C. 20231

09/700165  
U.S. APPLICATION 465

WILSON

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

J ATTY DOCUMENT 23406-167815

23406-167815

5611

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION 97/68990155A

VENABLE  
PO BOX 34385  
WASHINGTON DC 20043-9998

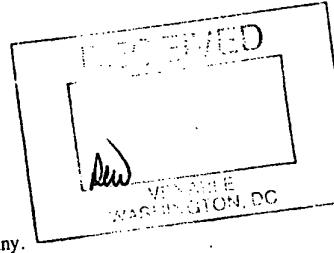
IA FILING DATE 05/17/98 PRIORITY DATE 05/15/98

12/12/00

DATE MAILED

*Docketing Missing Requirements due January 12, 2001*  
NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

1. The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as:
  - a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494),
  - an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):
  - U.S. Basic National Fee.
  - Copy of the international application in:
    - a non-English language.
    - English.
  - Translation of the international application into English.
  - Oath or Declaration of inventors(s) for DO/EO/US.
  - Copy of Article 19 amendments.
  - Translation of Article 19 amendments into English.
  - The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any.
  - Translation of Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report into English.
  - Preliminary amendment(s) filed 11-15-00 and \_\_\_\_\_
  - Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
  - Assignment document.
  - Power of Attorney and/or Change of Address.
  - Substitute specification filed \_\_\_\_\_
  - Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
  - Priority Document.
  - Copy of the International Search Report  and copies of the references cited therein.
  - Other:



2. The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:
  - a. Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date.
    - The current translation is defective for the reasons indicated on the attached Notice of Defective Translation.

- b. Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
- c. Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
  - The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for the reasons indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/917.

- d. Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

3. Additional claim fees of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ as a  large entity  small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due (37 CFR 1.492(g)). See attached PTO-875.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH IN 2(a)-2(d) AND 3 ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY  21 OR  31 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

4. Translation of the Annexes MUST be submitted no later than the time period set above or the annexes will be cancelled. Note processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.

5.  The Article 19 amendments are cancelled since a translation was not provided by the appropriate 20 (37 CFR 1.494(d)) or 30 (37 CFR 1.495(d)) months from the priority date.

Applicant is reminded that any communication to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above. (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with this response.*

Enclosed:  PCT/DO/EO/917  Notice of Defective Translation

PTO-875

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (December 1997)

*John W. Wilson*

Telephone: (703) 305-3744